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## WELCOME WORDS TO WOMEN.

Women who suffer with disorders peculiar to their sex should write to Dr. Pierce and receive free the advice of a physician of over thirty years' experience—a skilled and successful specialist in the diseases of women. Every letter of this sort has the most careful consideration and is, of course, regarded as sacredly confidential. Many sensitively modest women write fully to Dr. Pierce what they would shrink from telling to their local physician. The local physician is pretty sure to say that he cannot do anything without "an examination." Dr. Pierce holds that these distasteful examinations are generally needless, and that no woman, except in rare cases, should submit to them.

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No Doctor's Bill to Pay. If you use "Our New South" Flour in your bread, you can never make any mistake when choosing the "Pride" flour, made by the most improved process from the choicest Virginia wheat, such as is manufactured at the "Hobe Mills." Our flour is unsurpassed for quality, flavor and strength.

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### GIRL CAPTIVE IN HAREMS.

A dispatch from Paris says: There is a very interesting story back of the abduction of the beautiful Italian girl Silvia Zimeli, who was successively spirited into two Turkish harems and only released finally on Italy's threat to make war on the Sultan.

Silvia, a witching, dark-eyed beauty in her teens, started with her father about five months ago for a tour through the Levant. At Stambul the young woman's brilliant beauty attracted the attention of a high official from the interior of Turkey, and he had her captured the next day and taken to his far-away harem.

After a search that lasted for weeks the Italian Ambassador traced the girl and demanded her release, with war as the only alternative, and the Sultan ordered compliance. When Silvia was brought back to Constantinople, however, one of the Sultan's ministers saw her, fell in love with her and decided to make her his wife. Like the first official, he placed her in a harem.

When new negotiations were begun for her release the influential Minister pleaded that the girl, although evidently of tender years, was of age, and therefore her father could not interfere. On Wednesday, however, the Italian Ambassador, upon his threat to sever diplomatic relations if the girl should not be released by nightfall, won his point, and she has just been restored to her father. The girl appeared to be in fair health, but was broken-hearted and refused absolutely to make a statement as to her captivity.

Notwithstanding all these facts, it is now maintained in diplomatic dispatches from Rome that the girl was not kidnapped, but went successively to the two Turkish harems of her own free will, and that, as her father opposed her passion in the first instance, she finally ran away to her more distinguished lover's harem.

### CLAIM AMERICA'S AID.

The London papers publish extracts from a document emanating from the office of the Secretary of State at Pretoria and countersigned by Secretary of State Reitz. It says: "We, to a great extent, depend on America and Europe for our foodstuffs. It will be critical on the part of the Great Powers to suffer this little nation to perish by famine since the sword has failed."

Since, in 1870, the President of the United States acknowledged our republic as a sovereign State, Americans have flocked here in numbers. In every instance the hand of fellowship has been extended to them. Not a single case of disagreement is on record; but with the first war note of the oppressor we are informed that America is acting in league with the enemy.

If our sister republic has no sympathy with us, if the boasted condescension of the British is to be preferred to sincerity and truth, we will no longer believe in the justice and integrity of the American nation, and her profession of Christianity we consider an empty sound.

### DRUNKEN BUTLER.

A swell dinner party at the palatial Fifth avenue home of Howard Gould in New York was rudely broken up Friday night by a drunken butler. John Tibbs, the butler in question, paid \$5 for his spree in court Saturday morning, Mr. Gould appearing against him. Tibbs went into the wine cellar alone Friday afternoon and drew a few corks on his own account.

When the guests appeared at the dinner in the evening the butler attempted to take possession of the house and make things embarrassing for the Goulds. He was ordered from the house but refused to go. Mr. Gould drew a roll of bills from his pocket and made the man tempting offers to leave but he declined. Finally an officer was called and Tibbs arrested. The guests at the dinner party quietly left the house during the excitement.

### TUGBOAT TURNED A SOMERSAULT.

The big harbor tug Pretolia ran hard and fast on the big rock known as Hog's Back, in Hellgate, New York, on Saturday. Shortly after the tugboat Mischief steamed up and under-towed to pull the Pretolia off. For nearly an hour she strained without budging the larger vessel. Then, suddenly, the rope snapped. So great had the strain been on the little tug that when the line parted she turned completely over, and went to the bottom like a shot. There was a crew of five men on board, one of whom, a deckhand, is supposed to have gone to the bottom with the unlucky Mischief. The other men were picked up.

### FAIR SUICIDE AT A WEDDING.

While witnessing the marriage of another woman to the man she loved in the fashionable Church of St. Clotilde, in Paris, on Thursday, a beautiful and highly-connected young woman, who recently wedded against her will, stabbed herself in the heart and died. Individual friends have managed to suppress names and details.

## DRY GOODS.

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### Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

makes children get well and happy quickly. It is the reliance of the ever-watchful, thoughtful mother. It stops any sort of a cough, soothes and heals the inflamed parts and cures.

Mrs. Julia Battle of Covadale, Pa., writes: "One of my boys had been awake with his cough for two days, with the cough I gave him a dose of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. Shortly afterward I gave him a second dose. The cough was cured almost instantly. I always keep a bottle within reach at night for my children."

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Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, who will call at the Drug stores of Ernest L. Allen—Claude M. Lennon—Warfield & Hall—Charles G. Lennon—W. F. Crighton & Co.—or Richard Gibson will be presented with a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person, and none to children without order from parents.

No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boschee's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away, and your druggists will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only throat and Lung Remedy generally endorsed by physicians. Our 75 cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

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We will pay the above reward for any case of Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation or Costiveness we cannot cure with Liver, the Up-to-Date Little Liver Pill, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely Vegetable, and never fail to give satisfaction. 25c boxes contain 100 Pills, 10c boxes contain 40 Pills, 5c boxes contain 15 Pills. Beware of substitutions and imitations. Sent by mail. Stamps taken. NEELY'S MEDICAL CO., Cor. Clinton and Jackson Sts., Chicago, Ill. Sold by Edgar Warfield, Jr., druggist Alexandria, Va.

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Nothing but a local remedy or change of climate will cure CATARRH. The specific is Ely's Cream Balm.

### COLD IN HEAD.

It is quickly absorbed. Gives relief at once. Opens and cleanses the nasal passages. Always infallible. Cures colds and protects the membrane. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. No mercury. No injury to drug. Regular size, 50 cents; family size, \$1.00. Sent by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, N. Y.

### LEGAL.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 20th day of January, 1900, Marian F. Henderson vs. Charles W. Henderson et al. Chancery.

Memo: The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the sale of a lot of ground and improvements at the northwest corner of Royal and Wilkes streets, Alexandria, Virginia, of which John W. Henderson died, seized, and to compute the life estate of Marian F. Henderson therein, and to pay her the amount of such computation in cash and for the investment of the residue of the proceeds of such sale for the benefit of the infant children of said John W. Henderson deceased.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this case that the defendant, Peter Henderson, is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered that said defendant appear here within fifteen days after the publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, Va., once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste: JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk. By Nevel S. Greenaway, D. C. James R. Oston, p. q. Jan 20 w4w

### New Arrivals in Town.

EUCHEE PRIZES (new line). PINK and RED CANDLE SHADES, 10c. GAS and BANQUET GLOBES. COMPLETE LINE FISH GLOBES.

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### Our Special Bargains for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

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One case best blue indigo calico at 5c a yd.

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The balance of ladies' heavy flannelette warm wrappers at greatly reduced prices to close.

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### BLANKETS.

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### NEW LININGS.

Neva lining is the most popular lining known at present. We have just received a new lot, very pretty and reasonable in price.

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### AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS!

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GIVE US A CALL.

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OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ON YOUR OWN TERMS.

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### MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA AND MOUNT VERNON RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at 12:30 o'clock p. m. on the 13TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1900, at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. F. K. HIPPLE, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LAND AND RIVER IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at 1:30 o'clock p. m. on the 12TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1900, at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. F. K. HIPPLE, Secretary.

### NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The undersigned who own and hold, collectively, more than one-tenth of the capital stock of THE VIRGINIA BEEF EXTRACT AND BEEF MEAT COMPANY, a corporation of the State of Virginia, do hereby call a general meeting of the stockholders of said corporation to be held at one o'clock p. m. on the 19TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1900, at their factory in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing directors and of winding up its affairs or taking such other action concerning its affairs as shall be determined at said meeting.

S. A. MANUEL, JAMES KERR. Jan 15 law4w

### FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE OR RENT. THE COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, No. 219 north St. Asaph street (between Cameron and Queen streets.) Bathroom, &c. Apply at this office. dec 27 1f

### FOR RENT OR SALE.

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### Knives and Forks.

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1/2 Doz. Dinner Forks.....\$1.95  
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1/2 Doz. Dessert Forks.....\$1.75

### HENRY W. WILDT,

106 N. ROYAL STREET.

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Advance spring styles. The advance guard of stock of New Spring Suits is now ready for your inspection. We call special attention to the new Oxford, gray, brown, and blue effects in covert, homespun, cheviot and Venetian cloths. These are shown with the latest tight-fitting, half tight-fitting and loose jackets, and the becoming box-plaited shirts—some applique trimmed. Prices range from \$12.50 to \$55.

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